the tribal communities. They also release funds to the Government of Orissa under their schemes of Integrated Rural Development Programmes where provision has been made that 50% of the beneficiaries should be SCs/STs.

The release -made under the schemes mentioned above during 1992-9$, 1993^94 and 1994-95 are as follows:—

	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95
Special Central Assistance	3378.03	3603.23	356.55
Grants under first proviso to Article 275(1) of the Constitution	434.78	815.25	771.00
Girls Hostels	35.58 (10 hostels)	77.24 (21 hostels)	44.00 (12 hostels)
Boys Hostels	30.00 (12 hostels)	29.40 (8 hostels)	36.00 (9 Hostels)
Ashram Schools	42.00 (4 schools)	16.20 (4 schools)	60.00 (4 schools)
Educational Complex in low literacy pockets for ST girls.	—	31.75 (6 comp.)	64.99 (14 comp.)
Vocational Training in Tribal areas.	—	70.23 (6 centres)	88.68 (6 centres)
Grant-in-aid to State TDCCs	—	50.00	75.00
Grant-in-aid to Voluntary Organisations	29.10 (10 Orgns.)	43.37 (10 Orgns.)	52.87 (15. Orgns.)
Research & Training	3.22	3.73	8.59
Dawahar Rojgar Yojana	16389.03	16392.98	17095.55
Intensified Jawahar Rojgar Yojana	—	5370.00	3787.11
Employment Assurance Scheme.	—	4268.00	7884.00
IRDP	1883.91	3690.07	3243.2

The number of ST families economically assited under various schemes during the last three years is as folows:
1992-93—80,528
1993-94—1,06,815
1994-95-95,535

Employment of Handicapped Persons

1332A SHRI SHIVPRASAD CHANPURIA: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of the handicapped persons employed in Government service during the year of the handicapped;

(b) what is the number of such handicapped persons who belong to scheduled castes/scheduled tribes communities;

(c) the total number of the handicapped persons employed by the Government of Madhya Pradesh during the year of the handicapped; and

(d) the total number of the pending cases fo far?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI SITARAM KESRI): (a) The year 1981 was declared as International Year of Disabled by United Nations General Assembly. During that year a total number of 12,470 handicapped persons were given placement through employment exchanges.

(b) Separate information relating to. Scheduled castes Scheduled Tribes handicapped is not available.

(c) 569 handicapped persons were given employment by .the Government of Madhya Pradesh in 1981.

(d) A total number of 3,35,725 handicapped persons were on the five registr of all the employment exchanges upto June. 1994.